BEEPBEEPBEEP
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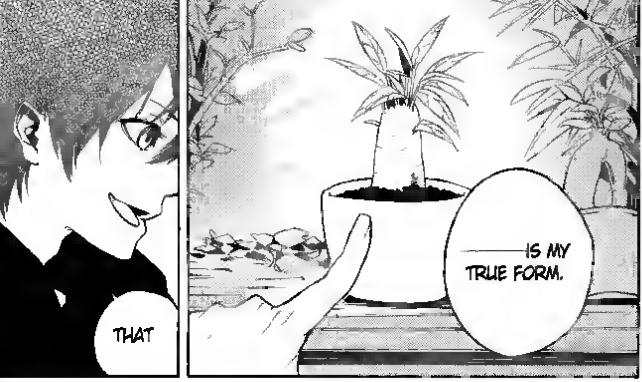
13:00
4/15 TUE 18
AH
IS IT TIME TO GO TO SCHOOL AGAIN...
MY NAME IS TANG HUI 15 YEARS OLD 10TH GRADE
CLACK
GRADES ARE SO-SO, SPORTS ARE...
CAN'T SAY I LIKE OR DISLIKE IT BUT I PLAY WHEN IT'S CONVINIENT
CLICK CLICK
CLANK

MY PARENTS ARE ALWAYS BUSY, SO IT'S JUST ME TAKING CARE OF MYSELF
HI AUNTIE TIAN
XIAO YU! GOING TO SCHOOL?
AS FOR INTERESTS...
BONSAI?
YOU HAVE A PACKAGE
AH, COMING
ANYONE THERE
COMING COMING
DAYS PEACEFULLY GO BY LIKE THIS
CLANK
I'M HOME.
UNTIL ONE DAY——
!?

THE ART OF GARDENING

THIS IS FOR YOU.
CAN YOU FEED ME THAT FERTILIZER AGAIN?
.....
.....
BACKS AWAY
BAM
I, I THINK I'M SEEING ANOTHER ME HOLDING A BRA STANDING IN THE ROOM?
WHAT'S GOING ON!?
SHOULD I GO SEE A DOCTOR?

CALM DOWN...
CALM DOWN....
RIGHT, THIS KIND OF SITUATION...
MUST BE—
.....CLOSES EYES
OPENS EYES
.....CLOSES EYES AGAIN
OPENS EYES AGAIN
WHY AM I NOT WAKING UP!!!
.....
BECAUSE YOU AREN'T DREAMING--
JUST WHO ARE YOU!
ME?
?
LET'S PUT IT THIS WAY——
SLAP


THAT
IS MY TRUE FORM.

.....
Say what?
HEY IT'S THE TRUTH!

IS THIS DRY HUMOR ..... so fake
NO NO, TRUST ME!
EVEN IF YOU SAY THAT
NO
IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE ME THEN WATCH
BANG
!?

OH YEAH
HUMANS CAN'T DO THIS RIGHT?
.....
EVEN THOUGH AT THE TIME I REALLY WANTED TO SCREAM ->SHUT THE F*** UP<-
BUT FACING THE SITUATION BEFORE ME,
I REALLY COULDN'T COME UP WITH ANY OTHER PLAUSIBLE EXPLANATION.
THEN,
YOU .....

.....WHAT WAS IT AGAIN?
XIAO RONG...
XIAO RONG, WHAT ARE YOU HERE FOR?
FERTILIZER!
FERTILIZER
FERTILIZER?
THE KIND WHERE YOU DROP TWO PIECES AND DISSOLVE IT IN WATER
I REALLY LIKED IT!
CAN YOU SOAK ME IN IT AGAIN ?
IN RETURN .....
Search, search,
TA-DA~
THIS IS A THANK YOU PRESENT!

I'VE BEEN WANTING TO ASK...

WHY DO YOU HAVE THAT THING?
?
...DON'T YOU LIKE IT?
I THOUGHT MALE HUMANS IN HEAT LIKED THIS SORT OF THING...
I'M NOT IN HEAT.

YOU CAN CONJURE THIS FROM THIN AIR?
CONJURE?
I'M NOT A WIZARD! HOW CAN I DO THAT KIND OF THING?
?
THEN THIS IS...?

FROM THE NEIGHBOR'S BALCONY.
SPITS

ARE YOU CRAZY——
COUGH COUGH

.....

WAIT A MINUTE..
DON'T TELL ME YOU USED THIS FACE TO...
.....!!!
SPEAKING OF THAT, AT THE TIME THEY WERE EATING LUNCH
WHEN THEY SAW ME THEY GOT EXCITED AND SHOUTED 'PERVERT! PERVERT!'
THEY EVEN THREW A BOWL AT ME
I, HOW DO I FACE THE REST OF MY LIFE?
AHH
ARE YOU AN IDIOT? WHY DID YOU HAVE TO GO WITH THAT FACE!?!?
AHH
BECAUSE MY TRUE FORM IS TOO SHORT SO IT'S INCONVINIENT
AHH
AHH
AND PEOPLE WILL NOTICE...
YOU THINK PEOPLE WON'T NOTICE IF YOU GO OUT LIKE THIS?
AHH
AHH
I'M RUINED!
DON'T BE SAD, I'LL GIVE THIS TO YOU
I DON'T WANT IT!
, THEN WHAT DO YOU WANT?
I DON'T WANT ANYTHING!
.....
I SEE.

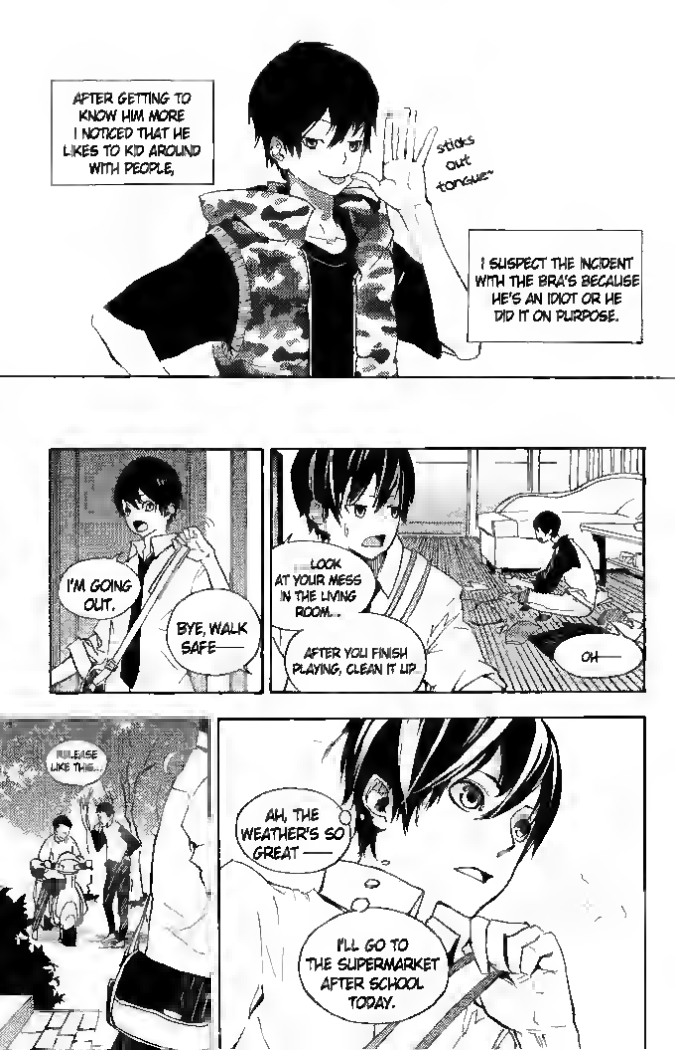
THEN GIVE ME FERTILIZER.
.....
DON'T ___ ME YOU WERE THE ONE WHO SAID YOU DIDN'T WANT MY THANK YOU PRESENT
DAMMIT!
PS
PS3! I WANT A PS3!
PS3?
IT'S A
WAIT! I KNOW!
IT'S A GAME SYSTEM LIKE THE KIND YOU USUALLY PLAY.
RIGHT ...
STANDS UP
GOT IT.
WHOA
HEY
HEY
HEY
I'M GOING TO GO GET YOU A SET NOW!
WAIT A SECOND WHERE ARE YOU GOING WITH THAT!?
forget it
forget it

stomach rumbles
rumble rumble
SO HUNGRY....
AH
... HOW'S THIS,
I WANT FRIED RICE...
FRIED RICE?
.... IT'S SORTA LIKE THIS..
FRIED EGG COVERING FRIED RICE
OH OH~

I DON'T KNOW HOW.
.....

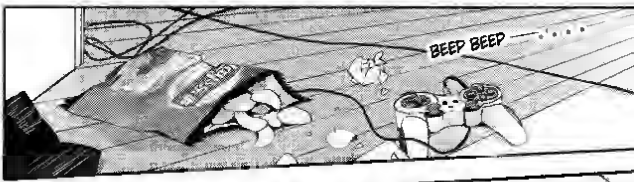
EVER SINCE THEN——

THIS THING (?) STARTED LIVING AT MY HOUSE
YOU ARE EATING MY CHIPS AGAIN—
HAHAHA YOU LOOKED SO DUMB WHEN YOU WERE A KID!
ALWAYS MESSING WITH MY THINGS
DON'T GO THROUGH MY STUFF!
ALWAYS USING MY ACCOUNT TO PLAY VIDEO GAMES
YOU OVERWROTE MY GAME!?
...UH
ALWAYS—
take it off, I need to wear this tomorrow!
REFUSING TO LEAVE.


AFTER GETTING TO KNOW HIM MORE I NOTICED THAT HE LIKES TO KID AROUND WITH PEOPLE,
sticks out tongue~
I SUSPECT THE INCIDENT WITH THE BRA'S BECAUSE HE'S AN IDIOT OR HE DID IT ON PURPOSE.
I'M GOING OUT.
BYE, WALK SAFE——
LOOK AT YOUR MESS IN THE LIVING ROOM..
AFTER YOU FINISH PLAYING, CLEAN IT UP.
OH——
RULE/SE LIKE THIS..
AH, THE WEATHER'S SO GREAT——
I'LL GO TO THE SUPERMARKET AFTER SCHOOL TODAY.

CRUNCH
ENGINE REVS
CRUNCH
.....
THAT MOTORCYCLE'S SO NOISY...
RELAX YOU ARE TOO TENSE
WAHH
KABOOM
GAS!
LET GO OF THE GAS!
GAAAAAAA
BAM
CLUNK

WHOA— ARE YOU OKAY?
EN—
I'M ALRIGHT... BUT I THINK I BROKE SOMEONE'S BONSAI
CLANK
grind
YOU HAVE HEART TO CARE ABOUT A BONSAI? YOU SCARED ME TO DEATH!


BEEP BEEP——

therefore the evolution of organisms

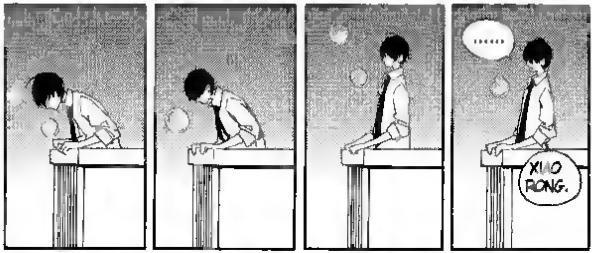
CLACK

I'M BACK...
!
GAME OVER
HE DIDN'T CLEAN UP AT ALL!
XIAO RONG YOU NEED TO WATCH YOURSELF!
HE DIDN'T EVEN TURN OFF THE TV AFTER HE FINISHED!
BAM
EH?
are you ignoring me?
DROPS
.....?
NOT HERE?
CLACK

EH?
CLICK
CLICK
XIAO RONG?
CLICK

HE'S REALLY NOT HERE?
WHERE DID HE RUN OFF TO...

BAM
BAM


.....
XIAO RONG.

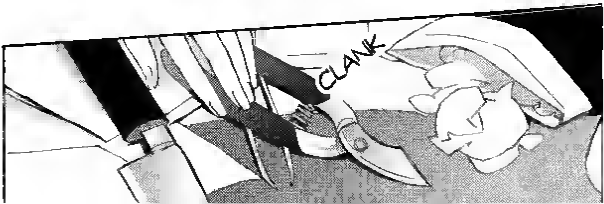
...LISTEN UP.
IF YOU ARE HERE YOU BETTER COME OUT NOW.
——THIS KIND OF JOKE WILL MAKE ME ANGRY.

CROW CROW
CROW CROW
GRIPS

BANG
POW
BAM
DONG
CLANG
CLANK
INHALES ——…

CHOP
CHOP CHOP
CLANK
CLANG
POUR

BAM
clang
clang
clang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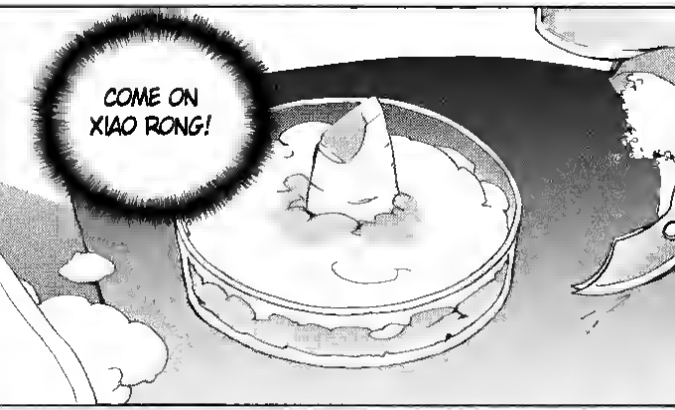
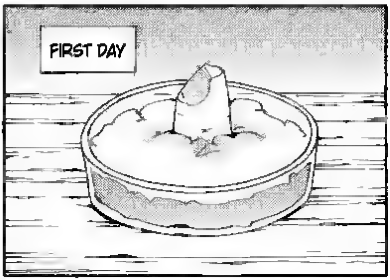
EVEN THOUGH I TRIED MY BEST
BUT I CUT OFF SO MUCH, THE CHANCE OF SURVIVAL...
DAMMIT...


COME ON XIAO RONG!

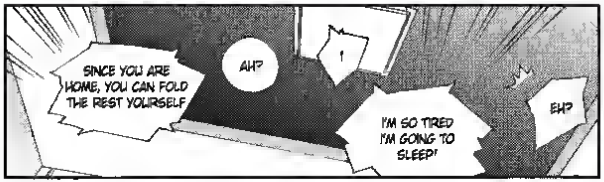

FIRST DAY

SECOND DAY
THIRD DAY
FOURTH DAY
SPROUTS
WHEW~

ONCE IT APPEARED MORE STABLE, I MOVED IT FROM THE NUTRITION RICH SOIL BACK TO THE BONSAI POT.
EVEN THOUGH THE LIVELY XIAO RONG STILL DIDN'T APPEAR
SNIP SNIP
BUT SINCE IT'S REGROWING FROM THE ORIGINAL ROOTS IT SHOULDN'T BE A BIG PROBLEM, RIGHT?

RING RING RING RING RING RING....

BANG BANG BANG BANG BAM!


SINCE YOU ARE HOME, YOU CAN FOLD THE REST YOURSELF
AH?
I'M SO TIRED I'M GOING TO SLEEP!
EH?

???
RUNS AWAY
HEY?

.....?
WHAT'S HE DOING...?

HEH...
THIS
WHAT IS THIS!
I THINK
THAT EGG LOOKS AWFUL..
HE USED CABBAGE TO GARNISH...?

ALL OF THIS

MUST BE WHAT PEOPLE CALL FATE